ULFA. A number of their activists have surrendered expressing their loyalty to the Constitution of India and commitment to abjuring violence.

Attempt to smuggle arms into India foiled by Indian Troops

1856. SHRI PARMESHWAR KUMAR AGARWALLA : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that Indian troops on 3rd February, 1993 foiled an attempt of Pakistani agencies to push arms suppliers into Kashmir Valley and recovered the largest ever consignment of ammunition and hand grenades;

(b) if so, the details of the ammunition recovered and it what place; and

(c) whether anybody was nabbed in the attempt ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT) : (a) to (c) On 3rd February 1993, in Uri Sector along the Line of Control in Jammu and Kashmir, a group of infiltrators was intercepted by the Security Forces. On being challenged they fled back into POK. During the subsequent search of the area by our troops, the following arms and ammunition were recovered :—

(a) Sniper Rifle 01

(b) Rifle AK 56 01

(c) Hand Grenades 1120

(d) Ammunition (rounds) 15285

(e) Anti personnel mines 19

(f) Explosive materials

Delay in release of Pension to Freedom Fighters

1857. DR. YELAMANCHILI SIVAJI : Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) in how many cases of freedom fighters Government have sanctioned pension but not made payment;

(b) what are the State-wise details of such cases;

(c) what are the reasons for the delay; and

(d) what steps have been taken to avoid further delay ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED) : (a) to (d) After issue of orders sanctioning pension to the freedom fighters, Pension Payment Order is issued and the Central Pension Accounting Office makes arrangements for payment of pension through the Nationalised Banks. Governments is not maintaining any separate record of the cases of freedom fighters who have been sanctioned pension but have not been made the actual payment. The pensioners are also not required to intimate as to whether they have started receiving pension or not. As and when cases involving delays in actual payment are brought to the notice of the Government, remedial action is taken.

Fire service in Delhi

1858. SHRI KRISHNA KUMAR BIRLA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) what is the average number of calls received by fire brigade from various parts of Delhi;

(b) what is the existing number of fire station in the city stating the man-power and the area expected to be covered by each fire station; and

(c) whether keeping in view the rising population and overall growth of the city Government have considered the adequacy or otherwise of the existing fleet and fire stations in the city to meet the emergency; if so, the steps taken in this direction ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED) : (a) The Delhi Fire Service has reported that the average number of calls received by the Fire Brigade per month from various parts of Delhi is approximately 888.

(b) A statement indicating existing number of fire stations, manpower and area covered by each station, is attached. [*See* below]

(c) There are 31 fire stations at present, including Headquarters and Training Centre. It has been decided to increase the number of fire stations to a minimum of 63 during the 8th Five Year Plan. Additional fire stations are under construction at Laxmi Nagar District Centre, Wazirpur Industrial Area, Mandawali (Mayur Vihar), Janakpuri, Rohini, DSIDC Narela, Bawana and Jahangir Puri.

Statement

Sl. No.	Name of fire station and location	Approx. man power	Farthest area distance covered by the fire station
1	2	3	4
1	Headqarters, Connaught Lane, N. Delhi .	93	Provides Assistance where ever required
2	Connaught Circus, Fire Station, Near Super Bazar	72	6 km. approx.
3	Training Centre, Near Moti Nagar Fire Station	83	Provides assistance where ever required
4	Kirti Nagar Fire Station, Lakkar Mandi Kirti Nagar	38	12 kms. approx.
5	Naraina Fire Station, Near Payal Cinema, Naraina	27	4 kms. ,,
6	Darya Ganj Fire Station, Near Ghata Masjid, Ansari Road, Darya Ganj	33	3 kms. ,,
7	Shahdara Fire Station, Near Shamlal College G. T. Road, Shahdara, Delhi	54	10 kms. ,,
8	Geeta Colony Fire Station, Block-5 (MCD School) Geeta Colony, Delhi	34	10 kms. ,,
9	Roop Nagar Fire Station, Near Police Station, Roop Nagar, Delhi	58	12 kms. ,,
10	Telewara Fire Station, Telewara Chowk, Sadar Bazar, Delhi	30	1 kms. ,,
11	Jhansi Rani Road, Fire Station, Near Filmistan Cinema, Delhi	60	4 kms. ,,
12	Prasad Nagar Fire Station, Near Radha Soami Satsang Ground, Karol Bagh, ND. . . .	39	2 kms. ,,
13	Nerala Fire Station, Anaj Mandi, Nerala .	20	13 kms. ,,
14	Shayam Prasad Mukherji Marg Fire Station, Near Novelty Cinema, Delhi . . .	64	4 kms. ,,
15	Keshav Puram Fire Station, Near Modern Bread Factory, Lawrance Road, Delhi . . .	33	6 kms. ,,
16	Moti Nagar Fire Station, Near Police Sri Shivaji Marg, New Delhi	70	15 kms. ,,
17	Rakabganj Fire Station, Back of AIR, Gurudwara Rakab Ganj, New Delhi	49	2 kms. ,,
18	Shankar Road Fire Station, Opp. Rajendra Place	55	2 kms. ,,
19	Chanakya Puri Fire Station, Koitilya Marg, Chanakya Puri	42	15/16 kms. ,,

1	2	3	4
20	Safdarjang Fire Station, Opp. Airport Safdarjang (Jor Bagh), New Delhi	58	5 kms. approx.
21	Mathura Road Fire Station, Chowk Hari Nagar Ashram, New Delhi	57	8/9 kms. approx.
22	Okhla Fire Station, Near Modi Floor Mill Okhla Industrial Estate, New Delhi . .	23	3 kms. ,,
23	Tikri Fire Station, Insider IOC Tikri Boiling Plant	10	Only IOC Plant
24	Jwala Puri Fire Station, Vill. Sayad Nangloi, New Delhi	23	4 km. ,,
25	Najaf Garh Fire Station, Near Dhanga Bus Stand	12	10 km. ,,
26	Rohini Fire Station, Near Madhvana Chowk.	10	6/7 km. approx.
27	Rashtrapati Bhawan Fire station, Rashtrapati Bhawan Garrage	9	Only R. P. Bhawan
28	Bawana Fire Station, Near DTC Depot, Bawana	8	5/6 km. approx.
29	Badli Fire Station, Badli Industrial Area, Delhi	21	8 kms. ,,
30	Nehru Place Fire Station, Near Telephone Exchange, Nehru Place, New Delhi	35	15 kms. ,,
31	Bhikaji Cama Place Fire Station, Near Hotel Hayat Regency . . .	37	10 kms. ,,

Important files regarding unauthorised construction missing from M.C.D. Office

1859. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA :
SHRI N. GIRI PRASAD :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that some important files relating to unauthorised constructions were found missing from the South Zone headquarters of Delhi Municipal Corporation in Green Park;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of the further investigations made in this regard and with what results ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The Municipal Corporation of Delhi has reported that on 13-1-93 the lock of the almirah of the Zonal Engineer (Bldg.), South Zone, was found broken when he came to attend the office on that date. 12 files pertaining to unauthorised construction/deviations from sanctioned plans were found missing from the almirah. A case has been registered under section 380 I. P. C. vide FIR No. 31 at Police Station Hauz Khas in this rgard.

Detentions made under TADA

1860. SHRI G. PRATHAPA REDDY :
DR. SHRIKANT RAMCHANDRA JICHKAR :

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state :

(a) what is the total number of detentions made in various States under the Terrorist and Disruptive Activities (Prevention) Act, 1985 as on 15th February, 1993;

(b) how many detenues as in part (a) above were released by the Courts and the reasons for released; and